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4. (Unclassified - LRH) At the request of Sam Dash, Chief Counsel, Senate Select Committee on Presidential Campaign Activities, I met with George Murphy, Deputy Director, Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, who has been entrusted with the custody of the Hoover Report by Senator Baker (R., Tenn.), of the Select Committee. Murphy told me that Senator Baker had instructed him to have me mark up the portions of the report which were considered still classified. I pointed out that I could indicate those portions which CIA felt were classified, but that FBI, Defense, and particularly NSA, had other portions about which they were most concerned. At Murphy's request I then penciled those portions of the report which are classified Secret. Murphy noted the pages I had marked in the front of the report and also noted that this did not cover the security interests of FBI, DOD, and NSA. He said he would report to Senator Baker and ask his permission to get in touch with the appropriate people in those agencies to complete the classification picture. Murphy repeatedly emphasized the care with which this document was being handled and the limited number of people who had access to it. I reported on this to Thomas J. Smith, of the FBI, and Frank A. Bartimo, Assistant General Counsel, Department of Defense.

Later in the afternoon, Murphy called and asked that I arrange to have the FBI, DOD, and NSA representatives at his office on Friday, 15 June, 2 p.m., to complete the classification review. I have made these arrangements with Smith and Bartimo. (Bartimo will review the report for DOD and NSA.)

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with Representative Patricia Schroeder (D., Colo.) and reviewed with her the various items in her letter to General Walters concerning intelligence liaison activities in South Vietnam. It was pointed out to her that the basic thrust of the letter that the American "operatives" were pressing certain courses of action upon South Vietnamese is in error. It was also pointed out that Agency operations are within the purview of the Intelligence Subcommittee and that that Subcommittee is kept apprised of Agency activities. Representative Schroeder thanked us and said that she might check with Chairman Nedzi, of the Intelligence Subcommittee. No further action is indicated.

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